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Betty T. Yee Sponsors Free Tax Seminar in Fortuna

Betty T. Yee, Vice Chairwoman of the Board of Equalization (BOE), along with State Senator Patricia Wiggins and Assembly Member Patty Berg today announced that federal, state, and local government agencies will be featured at a free, one day tax seminar for non profit and exempt organizations in Fortuna.

Representatives from the BOE, Franchise Tax Board, Internal Revenue Service, Employment Development Department, and the Humboldt Area Foundation will be available to assist attendees.

Event: Tax Seminar for Non Profit and Exempt Organizations

Date: Thursday, June 19, 2008

Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm (check-in at 8:30 am) **Place:** Fortuna River Lodge Conference Center

1800 Riverwalk Drive Fortuna, CA 95540

Presentations include: Property Tax Exemptions, Sales and Use Taxes for Nonprofit and Exempt Organizations, Tax Laws and Compliance for Non profit and Exempt Organizations, Employment Taxes and the Non profit and Exempt Organization, and Non profit Resources at Your Finger Tips.

For more information, please call 916-341-7389 or visit the BOE website at www.boe.ca.gov/sutax/nonprofitsched.htm or www.boe.ca.gov/sutax/pdf/fortuna_invite08.pdf. Attendees can register online at: www.boe.ca.gov/cgi-bin/seminar.cgi?FLAG=80.

Vice Chairwoman Betty T. Yee was elected to her post in November 2006. Her district includes many of California's coastal counties, from Del Norte to Santa Barbara, and includes the entire San Francisco Bay Area.

The five-member California State Board of Equalization (BOE) is a publicly elected tax board. The BOE collects more than \$53 billion annually in taxes and fees supporting state and local government services. It hears business tax appeals, acts as the appellate body for franchise and personal income tax appeals, and serves a significant role in the assessment and administration of property taxes.

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